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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

Jay H. DOWLING et al

Group Art Unit: 2876

Serial No: 09/151,764

Examiner: J. Fureman

Filed : September 11, 1998

For : OPTICAL SYMBOLLOGIES IMAGER

REQUEST FOR REFUND

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The undersigned hereby requests a refund in the amount of \$475.00.

An Amendment in the above-noted case was filed on May 13, 2004 responsive to an Office Action mailed on February 13, 2004. Consequently, a large entity extension of time fee of \$950.00 accompanied this Amendment. A copy of the first page of the Combined Amendment & Petition for Extension of Time is enclosed herewith showing the payment of the \$950.00 large entity extension of time fee.

However, it has recently come to the undersigned's attention that the assignee of the above-noted application, namely, Robotic Vision Systems, Inc., no longer qualified as a large entity at the time the Request for Extension was filed and the \$950.00 paid. At the time of the filing of this Amendment, the assignee, Robotic Vision Systems, Inc., was a small entity.

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Consequently, it is requested that a refund in the amount of \$475.00 be credited to the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 08-2455.

Respectfully submitted,



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July 1, 2004

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Attorney's Docket: A-6388.RFR2/bh

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COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)				Docket No. PATENT MAINTENANCE DIVISION A-6388	
In Re Application Of: Jay H. DOWLING et al.				 2004 JUL - 8 Group Art Unit 4:03 2876	
Serial No. 09/151,764	Filing Date September 11, 1998	Examiner J. Fureman			
Invention: OPTICAL SYMBOLLOGIES IMAGER					
<u>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u>					
This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>November 13, 2003</u> in the above-identified application.					
The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired): <input type="checkbox"/> One month <input type="checkbox"/> Two months <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three months <input type="checkbox"/> Four months <input type="checkbox"/> Five months					
from: <u>February 13, 2004</u> <i>Date</i>		until: <u>May 13, 2004</u> <i>Date</i>			
The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:					
CLAIMS AS AMENDED					
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	-	20 =	0	x \$18.00	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	-	3 =	0	x \$86.00	\$0.00
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$0.00
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$950.00
TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME					\$950.00
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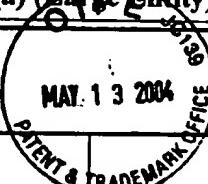
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